RESOLUTION NO.: 2014-133

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE EXPENDITURE TOTALING AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED TWENTY NINE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$29,000.00) FROM THE ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND - STATE, TO PURCHASE TWO (2) CANINES FOR THE HIALEAH POLICE DEPARTMENT CANINE UNIT FROM METRO-DADE K-9 SERVICES, LOWEST QUOTED VENDOR, UPON SUCH COSTS HAVING BEEN APPROVED BY THE CHIEF OF POLICE.

WHEREAS, the Hialeah Police Department Canine Unit needs to replace two (2) police K-9 dogs as they are too old to be used effectively in the field; and

WHEREAS, the Hialeah Police Department deploys specialized police canines for the apprehension of subjects, illegal drug detection, and the locating of concealed contraband and explosive devices; and

WHEREAS, the Hialeah Police Department wishes to purchase two (2) canines from Metro-Dade K-9 Services, the lowest quote vendor; and

WHEREAS, the funds to cover these necessary and legitimate expenses are available in the Law Enforcement Trust Fund - State; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police has recommended adoption of this resolution and determined that the proposed expenditure complies with the provisions of Section 932.7055 of the Florida Statutes (2013); and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THAT:

<u>Section 1.</u> The Mayor and the City Council of the City of Hialeah, Florida, hereby approve the expenditure of an amount not to exceed twenty nine thousand dollars (\$29,000.00) from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund - *State*, to purchase two canines from Metro-Dade K-9 Services, lowest quoted vendor, upon such costs having been approved by the Chief of Police.

Approved as to legal sufficiency and form:

Lorena Bravo, Acting City Attorney

Marbelys Fatjo, Acting City Clerk

Resolution was adopted by a 6-0-1 vote with Council Members Caragol, Casáls-Muñoz, Garcia-Martinez, Gonzalez, Hernandez, & Lozano voting "Yes", & Councilmember Cue-Fuente absent.

Mayor Carlos Hernandez